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NAVPERS 3100/1 (1-66) (Formerly NAVPERS 716)

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DECK
LOG BOOK

OF THE

U.S.S. ABNAKI (ATF-96)

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IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Attached to { _____ Division,
SERVICE SQUADRON FIVE Squadron,
_____ Flotilla,
SEVENTH Fleet,
_____ Naval District,

Commencing ϕϕϕ1 1 JANUARY, 19 68,
(zone time and date)

at SEA 15°-49'N 115°-12'E,
(location)

and ending 24ϕϕ 31 JANUARY, 19 68,
(zone time and date)

at SEA 29°42'N 156°55'E
(location)

Approved by: E Alexander Commanding
LT D.E. ALEXANDER

TO BE FORWARDED DIRECT TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

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USS Abarak (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Monday (Day) 1 (Date) January (Month) 1968

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM Dong Tam, RVN TO Sasebo, Japan

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 16°00'N	BY	1
λ 115°45'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 16°10.5'N	BY	1
λ 115°56'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 16°27.5'N	BY	1
λ 116°28.2'E	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming Independently As Part of TG 73.4, Enroute
From Dong Tam, RVN, To Sasebo, Japan.
Riding on The Brake At 1500 Feet, YRBM-16 In Tow, In Accordance
With Third Quarter Opsked Com Seventh Flt.
Since before Christmas, We've been Underway,
Up and Down The River, Scraping Bottom Half The Way.
After Vung Tau, We Set Our Headings North,
064 Is Our Present Base Course.
Though The Base Speed is 11.9
SOA is only 5 At This Time
In 15 Foot Seas We're Tossed To And Fro,
At 25 Kts The Mon Soon Winds Blow.
As The New Year Nears and The Old One Starts Out,
A Heavy Strain on The Wire, We hear The Tow Watch Shout,
"58 That Time Size", Meaning Thousands of Pounds Strain,
But She Just Keeps Pulling As If There's No Pain.
The Captain, Also SOPA, Is In his Cabin, I hear,
He Wishes That The Weather Would Clear.
I Read The Night Orders so All Could Hear,
Captain Says, Sound The Ships Whistle, Board Starts New Year.
0000 Sounded Several Long Blasts on The Ships Whistle.
Happy New Year.

D.L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D.L. Ellis, USN

04-08 Underway As before, 0645 Obtained Radar Contact 5k "A"
bearing 184 Distance 15 Miles Tracked On Course 045 Speed 15 Kts,
0800 C/C 042 X 0739 C/S 11.5 Kts. 0808 Contact, Unidentified
Merchant vessel passed CPA bearing 130 Distance 10 Miles.

Thomas E. Simpson
Cwo Rda W. Mycoe, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1136 LOST SIGHT OF UNIDENT-
IFIED MERCHANT VESSEL BRG 072T.

D L Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

EXAMINED
P B Lamberson
LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) DATE MONDAY 1 JANUARY 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

D.L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D.L. ELLIS, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1902 HOLD RADAR CONTACT DESIGNATED SKUNK "B" BRG 213 RNG 18 MILES ON CRS038 SPEED 18 KNOTS. CPA IS 1 MILE BRG 213 AT 2024. 1947 SIGHTED SKUNK "B" BRG 180 R.

A.W. Myers
CWO-2 A.W. MYERS, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2045 EXCHANGED VISUAL CALLS WITH JAPANESE SUPERTANKER CHOJA MARU ENROUTE JAPAN BRG 120T RNG 3 MILES, AT CPA.

D.L. Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE TUESDAY 2 JANUARY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM DONG TAM, RVN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 17°25'N	BY	1
λ 116°46'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 17°44'N	BY	1
λ 117°03'E	BY	1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 18°22'N	BY	1
λ 117°21.5'E	BY	1

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM DONG TAM, RVN, TO SASEBO, JAPAN WITH YRBM-16 IN TOW IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT SECOND QUARTER FY '68 QUARTERLY OPSKED. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS ABNAKI (ATF-96). BASE COURSE IS 053 BASE SPEED IS 11.9 KNTS WITH 1500 FEET OF MAIN TOW WIRE OUT ON THE BRAKE. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION IV ARE SET. 0213 C/C 029

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. JOHNSON USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0707 C/S TO 11.7 KNOTS. 0712 C/S TO 11.9 KNOTS.

D. L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D. L. ELLIS, USN

0812 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, 0800 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS, ABSENTEE'S; NONE 0828 C/C 042

Wesley Myers
CWO Asst LT Myers, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

D J Vennen
ENS D. L. VENNEN, USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1639 C/C 030

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. JOHNSON USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

D. L. Ellis
SM1 (DV) D. L. ELLIS, USN

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USS Abnaki (ATF-96)

DATE Tuesday 2 January, 1967
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

20-24 Underway as before, 2000 Y/C 034

Wm E Myers
CWO Wm W. Myers, USN

EXAMINED:
PB Lamberson
LT.JG PB LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE WEDNESDAY 3 JANUARY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM DONG TAM, RVN TO KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 18° 52'.0N	BY	2
λ 117° 57' 0E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 1913.5N	BY	2
λ 11759.5E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 1947N	BY	4
λ 11805E	BY	4

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING AS PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM DONG TAM, RVN, TO KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN, WITH YRBM-16 IN TOW IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER FY 68 OPSKED. SOPA IS CO ABNAKI. BASE COURSE IS ~~034~~ 032 NOTHING TO THE LEFT OF 034 (T), 032 MAGNETIC; BASE SPEED 11.9 KNOTS, 96 RPM. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED), READINESS CONDITION IV, AND ENGINEERING AND DAMAGE CONTROL CONDITION III ARE SET. TOW WIRE AT 1500 FEET. TOWING ENGINE IS RIDING ON THE BRAKE. MAXIMUM SPEED AVAILABLE IS 13.3 KNOTS, 110 RPM. MAIN ENGINES 2, 3, AND 4 ARE IN THE PROPULSION LOOP. AUXILIARY GENERATORS ONE AND THREE ARE IN THE AUXILIARY BUS. VISIBILITY IS RESTRICTED BY DARKNESS AND CLOUD COVER. WINDS ARE FROM 022 AT 23 KNOTS, SWELLS ARE FROM 038 AT 10 FEET. MAXIMUM STRAIN REPORTED ON THE TOW IS 46,000 POUNDS. AN AUXILIARY LOOKOUT HAS BEEN SET ON THE BRIDGE WING OPPOSITE THE SIDE BEING COVERED BY THE OOD. 0148 WEATHER IS DETERIORATING. WINDS HAVE SHIFTED TO 046 AT 24 KTS SWELLS HAVE INCREASED TO 12 FT. LIGHT DRIZZLE AHEAD IS MASKING THE HORIZON.

D J Vennen
ENS D. L. VENNEN, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0400 C/S 85 R.P.M. 10.8 KNTS. 0650 C/S 88 RPM 11.1 KNTS. 0707 C/S 90 RPM 11.3 KNOTS.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. JOHNSON USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0800 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE. 0832 C/C TO 031°. 1015 OBTAINED RADAR CONTACT DESIGNATED SKUNK 'A' BEARING 005° RANGE 13.5 MILES DETERMINED TO BE ON COURSE 216° AT SPEED 13 KNOTS. CPA 300° RANGE 5.8 MILES. 1047 SKUNK 'A' AT CPA BEARING 300° RANGE 5.8 MILES.

D. L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D. L. ELLIS, USN

EXAMINED
P B Lamberson
LTJG P B LAMBERSON, U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS Wenaki ATF-86 DATE Wednesday 3 JAN. 1967
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 Underway As before, 1347 S/E 11.9 Knots.

Jean E. Lawson
CWO Jean E. Lawson, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

D L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D.L. ELLIS, USN

EXAMINED:
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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS Abnaki (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE Thursday 4 January 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM Dong Tam, RVN TO Kaohsiung, Taiwan

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
L 2038.5N BY 4	L 20° 57'N BY 1&4	L 21° 07'N BY 2&4	3-VISUAL
λ 118°53.7E BY 4	λ 119° 06'E BY 1&4	λ 119° 01.5E BY 2&4	4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming as part of TG 73.4 enroute from Dong Tam RVN to Kaohsiung, Taiwan with YRBM-16 in tow in accordance with Conseventy Fit Third Quarter FY 68 Op Ord. SOPA is Commanding Officer USS Abnaki (ATF-96) Material Condition Yoke (modified) and Readiness Condition III have set. Towing Machine on the brake with hawser at 1500 ft. Base Speed 11.9 Base Course 031

CWO Asia W. Myers, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

D J Vennen
ENS D. L. VENNEN, USNR

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0800 MUSTERED CREW AT QUARTERS, ABSENTEES NONE. 0803 PUT NO. 2 M/E IN THE PROPULSION LOOP C/S 12.3 KNT. 100 RPM.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1440 LOOKOUT REPORTED SIGHTING CONTACT BEARING 010° RANGE ABOUT 10 MILES. 1534 C/C 040

D. L. Ellis
SM1(SW) D. L. ELLIS, USN

16-18 Underway As before, 1705 C/C 050, 1711 C/C 060

CWO Asia W. Myers, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1805 C/C 040.

D J Vennen
ENS D. L. VENNEN, USNR

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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) DATE THURSDAY 4 JAN. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. JOHNSON USN

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USS ABNAKI (ATF96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE FRIDAY (Day) 5 JANUARY (Date) (Month) 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM DONG TAM, RVN TO KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
L 21°47.3'N BY 2&4	L 22°18.8N BY 1	L _____ BY _____	3-VISUAL
λ 119°20.4'E BY 2&4	λ 120°02.8E BY 1	λ _____ BY _____	4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEERING INDEPENDENTLY AS PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM DONG TAM, RVN TO KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN WITH YRBM-16 IN TOW, IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER OPSKED. 1500 FEET OF TOW WIRE OUT RIDING ON THE BRAKE. BASE COURSE IS 040° BASE SPEED IS 12.3 KNOTS. SOPA IS C.O. ABNAKI. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS III ARE SET. CAPTAIN IS BELOW - SECURITY WATCH REPORTS CONDITIONS NORMAL. 0001 ADVANCED ALL SHIPS CLOCKS ONE (1) HOUR TO CONFORM WITH -9I TIME ZONE.

D.L. Ellis
SMI(DV) D.L. ELLIS, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, 0632 OBTAINED RADAR CONTACT 040 DISTANCE 15 MILES 0705 TRACKED UNIDENTIFIED CONTACTS (2) ON COURSE 200 SPEED 14 KTS. CPA 120 DISTANCE 1 3/4 MILES 0719 UNIDENTIFIED CONTACTS PASSED CPA 120 BEAM DISTANCE 3/4 Eq MILES.

Chas W. Pegues
CWO CHAS W. PEGUES, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0801 LOST SIGHT OF 2 CONTACTS BRG 170. 0825 LOST RADAR CONTACT WITH 2 CONTACTS BRG 220. 1029 SIGHTED LARGE FLOCK OF BIRDS 500 YARDS FROM PORT BEAM. 0931 C/C 030, 1115 C/S 12.8 KTS.* 1153 C/S 13.1 KTS.* 1137 OBTAINED RADAR LAND FALL BRG 036 RANGE 32 MILES.

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

12-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, 1217 SIGHTED LAND BEARING 340, 1403 C/C 110, 1430 C/S 12.3 KTS., 1441 C/C 120, 1445 SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL, ~~44~~, STEERING VARIOUS COURSES Eq AND SPEEDS WHILE ENTERING KAOHSIUNG HARBOR, CAPTAIN AT THE COMM NAVIGATOR IS ON THE BRIDGE. 1504 COMMENCED HEAVING IN ON TOW 1517 TOW IN TO 1000 FT. 1525 TOW AT ~~500~~ FT 1550 TOW IN TO 300 FT. 1603 PASSED THROUGH BREAKWATER 1606 PILOT ONBOARD 1610 TOW IN TO 100 FT. 1613 PASSED THROUGH HARBOR ENTRANCE 1619 TUG ALONGSIDE TO STBD. 1622 DROPPED ~~PORT~~ STBD ANCHOR, ~~40~~ 20 FATHOMS CHAIN Eq TO WATERS EDGE IN 7 FATHOMS WATER, MUD BOTTOM, 1628 TUG MADE UP TO YRBM-16 1630 YRBM ALONGSIDE TO STBD. (OVER)

EXAMINED
PB Lamberson
LTJG P.B. LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS Abarak (ATF-96) DATE Friday 5 January 1967
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-24 (Cont.) 1635 YRBM-16 Moored with Starboard Mooring Lines to STBD. 1640 Connected up STBD. Anchor 1653 Anchors Aweigh, Underway 1703 Anchored with STBD. Anchor in 7 Fathoms of Water with Short Stay. 1710 1st. Line to Buoy NO 21 1730 Port Anchor Chain Fastened to Buoy 21 Kaohsiung Harbor. 1740 Veered Port STBD. Anchor to 55 Fathoms Waters edge. 1742 Veered STBD. Anchor Chain to 70 Fathoms Waters edge. 1749 Passed Messenger to Buoy NO ~~22~~ 20 Aft. 1755 1" Nylon Target Tow Wire Fastened to Buoy NO ~~22~~ 20 Kaohsiung Harbor Moored Between Buoys NO ~~22~~ 20 and 21 Kaohsiung, Taiwan SOPA (Adcom) is Commanding Officer USS Mathews (AKA-96) Ships present include USS Mathews (AKA-96) and USS Colonial (LSD-18), ~~1803~~ yard Craft, National Chinese Navy Vessels and Various Merchant Vessels of the World. 1803 Secured The Sea And Anchor Details, Commenced Inspection of Tow YRBM. 1935 RM2 S.M. Henry 914 3709 USN departed the Ship For TAD with Kaohsiung, Taiwan Shore Patrol H.Q. Initial Investigation Revealed YRBM-16 Flooded in The Area of The Temporary Patch, And Engine Room, Commenced Salvage operations To dewater. 2100 Completed dewatering YRBM-16 Engine Room, And Commenced plugging holes to Find Flooded Spaces.

Lyndon Meyers
CWO Lyndon W. Meyers, USN

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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SATURDAY (Day) 6 (Date) JANUARY (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
L _____ BY _____	L _____ BY _____	L _____ BY _____	3-VISUAL
λ _____ BY _____	λ _____ BY _____	λ _____ BY _____	4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored to Buoys NO 21 and 22 Kaohsiung Harbor with Standard Navy moore, Port anchor Chain at 30 Fathoms to Buoy NO 21, 1" Target Tow wire at 250 ft to Buoy NO 22, 1/RBM-16 Moored Std side to Std. side with Standard mooring lines doubled, Std anchor on 70 Fathoms of Chain to waters edge in 7 Fathoms of waters, mud bottom, Material Condition Yoke (mod.) and Readiness Condition II in effect. SOPA is USS Mathews (AKA-96) Ships present include USS Mathews (AKA-96) and USS Colonial (LSD-18) YFNB Craft and various Merchant Vessels of the World. Salvage Operations in progress onboard YRBM-16 Using portable pumps and Ships Installed Salvage pumps. 0034 RDZ S.M. Henry 914 3709 Returned Onboard Liberty Completed TAD with Kaohsiung Shore Patrol H.Q. 0745 Held Quarters for Muster of The Crew. Absentees: GMG3 L.G. Darvail 918 80 04 USN and EN3 L.M. Cook B80 4036 USN Since 0100 This date.

D T Vennen
CWO D.T. Vennen USN

08-24 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 0917 COOK, L.M., EN3, B80-40,56, USN RETURNED ABOARD HAVING BEEN UA SINCE 0745 THIS DATE. 1524 BIEFLE, P.J., EM2, 599 28 54, USN, DEPARTED THE SHIP FOR TAD WITH KAOHSIUNG SHORE PATROL. 1525 COMMERCIAL FUEL BARGE MOORED ALONGSIDE TO PORT. 1602 COMMENCED TAKING ON FUEL. DRAFT FWD 14'02", AFT, 13'-05". 1741 DARVAIL, L.G., GMG3, 918-80-04, USN, RETURNED ABOARD HAVING BEEN UA SINCE 0745 THIS DATE. 1656 SECURED FROM TAKING ON FUEL. DRAFT FWD 13'-08", AFT 16'-02".

D T Vennen
ENS D.T. VENNEN, USNR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SUNDAY (Day) 7 (Date) JANUARY (Month), 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L		BY
λ		BY

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED TO BUOYS 21 AND 22, KAOHSIUNG HARBOR, TAIWAN, WITH 30 FATHOMS LEADING TO BUOY 21, 250 FEET OF WIRE LEADING TO BUOY 22, AND THE STARBOARD ANCHOR SET WITH 90 FATHOM OF CHAIN TO THE WATER'S EDGE. OPERATING IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER FY 68 OPSKED AS A PART OF TG 73.4. YRBM-16 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO STARBOARD SIDE WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS COLONIAL (LSD-18), USS MATHEWS (AKA-96), UNITS OF THE CHINESE NATIONAL NAVY, MERCHANT VESSELS, YARD AND CIVILIAN CRAFT. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS MATHEWS (AKA-96). MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) IS SET. 0049 BIFFLE, P.J., EM2, 599-28-54, USN, RETURNED ABOARD FROM TAD WITH KAOHSIUNG SHORE PATROL.

D J Vennen
ENS D.C. VENNEN, USNR

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1000 GELMAS, K.J. 914-80-49, EM2, USN DEPARTED ON TAD AS SHORE PATROL TO SOPA (ADMIN.) 1500 THOMPSON, L. 518 41 27 DC2, USN, DEPARTED ON TAD AS SHORE PATROL TO SOPA (ADMIN). 1800 SET CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED)

RLJ

R. L. Johnson
EW0-3 R. L. JOHNSON

EXAMINED
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LT J G P.B. LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE MONDAY (Day) 8 (Date) JANUARY (Month), 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
L _____ BY _____	L _____ BY _____	L _____ BY _____	3-VISUAL
λ _____ BY _____	λ _____ BY _____	λ _____ BY _____	4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED TO BUOYS 21 AND 22 AT KAOHSIUNG HARBOR, TAIWAN WITH 30 FATHOMS OF THE PORT ANCHOR CHAIN AND 180 FEET OF 1 5/8" WIRE TO BUOY 21, 180 FEET OF 1" WIRE AND 250 FEET OF 1/4" SPRING LAY WIRE (DOUBLED) TO BUOY 22, WITH 70 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE STARBOARD ANCHOR, IN 7 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM, WITH YRBM-16 MOORED ALONGSIDE TO STARBOARD, STARBOARD SIDE TO, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. OPERATING IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER FY '68 OPSKED AS A PART OF TG 73.4. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS COLONIAL (CSD-18) USS MATHEWS (AKA-96), UNITS OF THE CHINESE NATIONAL NAVY, MERCHANT VESSELS, AND LOCAL CRAFT. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS MATHEWS (AKA-96). MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) IS SET. 0130 GELMAS, K.J. 914 80 49, EM2, USN AND THOMPSON, L, 578 4127 DC2, USN RETURNED ABOARD HAVING COMPLETED TAD AS SHORE PATROL. 0745 MUSTERED CREW AT QUARTERS, ABSENTEES, JONES, CHARLES B. 682-31-06, GMG3, USN, UA SINCE 0030 HOURS THIS DATE.

K. L. Johnson
CWO-3 K.L. JOHNSON USN

~~08-24~~ Moored as before, 1358 EM2 K. F. Gelmas 914 80 49 USN departed for TAD with Kaohsiung Shore Patrol H.Q. ~~*1358 1350~~ Sy *1330 EN1 R.L. Nay 473 49 36 USN departed for TAD with Kaohsiung Shore Patrol H.Q. 1439 Hm1 D.W. Hahn 353 24 99, USN departed for TAD with Kaohsiung Shore Patrol, H.Q. 1459 Hm1 D.W. Hahn Returned From TAD with Kaohsiung Shore Patrol H.Q. 1500 Commenced preparations for Getting Underway 1723 Secured from all preparations for Getting Underway 1760 Hm1 D.W. Hahn 353 24 99 USN departed for TAD with Shore Patrol Kaohsiung, H.Q. 1800 Completed Moving 1 1/2" Spring Lay wire from USS Abnaki TO YRBM-16 to Buoy 22, Set Material Cond. Yoke (modified). 1900 GMG3 C.B. Jones 682-31-06 USN Returned To The Ship having been UA Since 0030 8 January 1968 A period of about 18 hrs. 30 min. *1459 EM2 K.F. Gelmas 914 80 49 USN Returned From TAD with Kaohsiung Shore Patrol H.Q.

Wm L. Myers
CWO Wm L. Myers, USN

EXAMINED
P B Ramberson
LTJG P BLAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS Abnaki (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 1/2 DATE Tuesday 9 January (Day) (Date) (Month) . 1968

AT ~~PASSAGE FROM~~ Kao Hsiung, Taiwan TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored to Buoys 21 and 22 at Kao Hsiung Harbor, Taiwan with 30 Fathoms of the Port Anchor Chain and 180 Ft. of 1 5/8" Wire to Buoy 21 and 180 Ft. of 1" wire and 250 Ft. of 1 1/4" Spring Lay Wire (Doubled) from the Bombe YRBM-16 to Buoy 22, 70 Fathoms of Chain out to Stbd. Anchor to Waters edge, in 7 Fathoms of water, mud bottom, with YRBM-16 Moored Alongside to Starboard, Starboard Side to, with Standard Mooring Lines Doubled. In Accordance with Com Seventh Flt Third Quarter FY 68 tasked as a Part of TG 73.4 Ships present include USS Mathews (AKA-96) and USS Colonial (LSD-18), Units of the Chinese National Navy, Merchant Vessels and Local Craft. SOPA is USS Mathews (AKA-96) Commanding Officer. Material Condition Yoke (Modified) and Readiness Condition II are Set 0027 Hon(D.W. Hahn 3532499, USN and ENS R.L. May 473 4935, USN Returned to the Ship from TAD with Kaohsiung Shore Patrol H.Q. 0745 Mustered the Crew at Quarters, Absentees; None.

Wm. L. Myers
CDR Wm. L. Myers, USN

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0842 USS FALGOUT (DER-324) MOORED ALONGSIDE TO PORT. 1000 COMMENCED PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. 1020 SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1050 USS FALGOUT UNDERWAY 1108 UNDERWAY FOR CHINESE NATIONAL FOURTH NAVY YARD DPD WITH YRBM-16 MOORED ALONGSIDE TO STARBOARD WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES. TWO LOCAL TUGS ARE MADE UP TO PORT SIDE OF YRBM-16. A PILOT IS ABOARD. THE CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN. THE NAVIGATOR IS ON THE BRIDGE. 1158 MOORED PORT SIDE TO EAST BULKHEAD CHINESE NATIONAL FOURTH NAVY YARD, KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. 1207 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1313 HALLAM, A.D., EM2, 546 49 62 DEPARTED THE SHIP FOR TAD WITH KAOHSIUNG SHORE PATROL, 1723 HENRY, S.M., RD2, 914-37-09, DEPARTED THE SHIP FOR TAD WITH KAOHSIUNG SHORE PATROL, *1700 COMMANDING OFFICER USS FALGOUT (DER-324) ASSUMED SOPA.

D L Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

EXAMINED
P B Lamberson
LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE WEDNESDAY (Day) 10 (Date) JANUARY (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED PORT SIDE TO EAST BULKHEAD CHINESE NATIONAL FOURTH NAVY YARD, KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE UNITS OF THE US PACIFIC FLEET, VARIOUS MERCHANTMEN, UNITS OF THE CHINESE NATIONAL NAVY, AND LOCAL CRAFT. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER, USS FALGOUT (DER-324). MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) IS SET. 0040 HENRY, S.M., RD2, 914-37-09, RETURNED ABOARD FROM SHORE PATROL DUTY WITH KAOHSIUNG SHORE PATROL. 0057 HALLAM, A.J., EM2, 546 49 62 RETURNED ABOARD FROM TAD WITH KAOHSIUNG SHORE PATROL. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

D L Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1230 NAY, R.L. 473-49-36, EN1, USN DEPARTED ON TAD TO SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS. 1615 YRBM-16 CAST OFF FROM ALONGSIDE TO STARBOARD UNDER TOW OF YARD TUGS FOR DRYDOCKING. 1654 HAHN, D.W. 353-24-99, HM1, USN, DEPARTED ON TAD TO SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS AS MEDICAL GUARD. 1730 NAY, R.L., 473-49-36, EN1, USN RETURNED ABOARD FROM TAD AT SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS. 1800 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED). BRODERICK, E.R., 304-68-76, EN2, USN, DEPARTED ON TAD TO SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS.

R.L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE THURSDAY (Day) 11 (Date) JANUARY (Month), 19 68

AT ~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED PORT SIDE TO EAST BULKHEAD CHINESE NATIONALIST 4TH NAVY YARD, KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, VARIOUS MERCHANTMEN, UNITS OF THE CHINESE NATIONALIST NAVY, AND LOCAL CRAFT. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS FALGOUT (DER-324) MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) IS SET. 0015 HAHN, D.W., 353-24-99, HM1, USN AND BRODERICK, E.R. 304-68-76 EN2, USN RETURNED ON BOARD FROM TAD AT SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS.

RJ 0745 MUSTERED CREW AT QUARTERS, ABSENTEES, CAMARON, R.H. 599-35-80 RM2, USN, UA SINCE ~~0030~~ 0730 HOURS THIS DATE.

R.L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

08-24 Moored As before, 0909 RM2 R.H. Camaron 599 35 80 USN Returned onboard having been UA Since 0730 This date, 1550 EM2 F.O. Hallman 546 49 62, USN departed for TAD with Kaohsiung, Taiwan Shore Patrol H.Q. # 1330 Commanding Officer USS Zelima (AF-49) Assumed SOPA 1800 Set Material Condition Yoke (modified) 2400 EM2 F.O. Hallman Returned onboard having Completed TAD with Kaohsiung, Taiwan Shore Patrol.

Wm E. Myers
CWO Asa W. Myers, USN

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS Abnaki (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Friday (Day) 13 (Date) January (Month). 19 67

AT ~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored Port side to East Bulkhead Chinese National 4th Navy yard, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, With Standard Mooring Lines doubled. Ships present include units of the US Pacific Fleet, Various Merchant men, units of the Chinese National Navy, and Local Craft. SOPA is Command ing Officer USS Zelima (AF-49) Material Condition yoke (modified) and Readiness Condition Five is Set 0745 Mustered the Crew at Quarters, Absentees None

Glenn E. Engen
CWO Glenn E. Engen, USN

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1530 BRODERICK, EUGENE R, EN1, 304-68-76, DEPARTED THE SHIP FOR TAD WITH KAOHSIUNG SHORE PATROL. 1600 COMMANDING OFFICER USS CACAPON (AO-52) ASSUMED SOPA.

D L Vennen
ENS D. L. VENNEN

EXAMINED
P B Lamberson
LT J G P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS ABNAKI ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SATURDAY, 13 JANUARY 19 67
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED PORT SIDE TO EAST BULKHEAD CHINESE NATIONAL FOURTH NAVY YARD, KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, VARIOUS MERCHANTMEN, UNITS OF THE CHINESE NATIONAL NAVY, AND LOCAL CRAFT. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS CACAPON (AO-52). MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) IS SET. 0540 DIXON, R.A., TA, 589-71-57, USN, RETURNED ABOARD HAVING BEEN UA SINCE 0001 THIS DATE. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE.

D L Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

RJ 08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. ~~+30~~ 1000 COMMENCED COMMANDING OFFICERS LOWER DECKS INSPECTION. 1144 SECURED FROM LOWER DECKS INSPECTION. 1300 HENRY, S.M. 917-37-09, RD2, USN DEPARTED ON TAD AS SHORE PATROL.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS Abnaki (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Sunday (Day) 14 (Date) January (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KaoHsiung, Taiwan TO

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
L ___ BY ___	L ___ BY ___	L 22°55.5' N BY ___	3-VISUAL
λ ___ BY ___	λ ___ BY ___	λ 119°58'E BY ___	4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored Port side To East Bulkhead Chinese NATIONALIST 4TH, NAVY Yard, KaoHsiung, Taiwan, With STANDARD Mooring Lines doubled. Ships present included Units of The U.S. Pacific Fleet, Various Merchantmen, Units of the Chinese NATIONALIST NAVY, and Local Craft. SERVICE Command, and Officers USS Catawba (ATA-210). Material Condition Yoke (Modified) 3 Set. 0023 RD2 S.M. Henry 917-37-09 USN, Returned on board From TAD AS Shore PATROL, 0800 Muster'd The Crew at ~~Quarters~~ by ON STATIONS, Absentees, None.

R.L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. Johnson, USN

08-16 Moored As before, 1500 Commenced preparations for getting Underway 1530 Set Material Condition (yoke) (Modified) 1540 Set The Special Sea and Harbor detail. Taiwan NAVY Pilot came aboard 1555 Completed All preparations for getting Underway. Captain at The Conn, NAVIGATOR on the bridge

Wm E Bryan
LCDR Wm E Bryan, USN

16-18 Moored As before, 1600 Underway for CCK Air Base, Taiwan in accordance with CTF-73 Msg. 130235 Z JAN 68 1601 Commenced STEERING VARIOUS Courses AT VARIOUS Speeds STANDING OUT of KAOHSIUNG HARBOR. 1628 Cleared Sea Buoys And breakwaters. 1636 Secured the Special Sea and Anchor detail. Set Course 290, Spd. 10 Knots. 1650 C/C 6.7 Knots, 1715 C/C 328

D.L. Venner
ENS D.L. Venner, USNR

18-20 Underway As before, 1830 C/S 79 RPM 20 Knots

R.L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. Johnson, USN

EXAMINED
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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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S/N-0105-404-1560

USS Plowaki ATF-96

DATE Sunday 14 January 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

20-24 Underway As before, 2059 C/S TO 45 RPM 6 KNOTS
2105 Sighted Fixed Chi Hsu Light Brg 312° Distance 8 miles
2145 C/C 005, 2254 Obtained Unidentified Radar Contact
Brg 308 Distance 3.5 Miles KANALSKI, JOHN ROBERT 188 48 68 SN, SUFFERED
A (A) FOUR INCH INCISION IN THE CALF OF LEFT LEG TREATMENT ADMINISTERED BY MEDICAL
REPRESENTATIVE. DISPOSITION: PLACED ON SICK LIST

BMC D.L. Higgins, USN
DL Higgins

EXAMINED:
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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS ABNAKI ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE MONDAY (Day) 15 (Date) JANUARY (Month) 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM KAOHSIUNG TAIWAN TO CCIC POL BUOY, TAIWAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 23° 35.5'N	BY	2
λ 119° 53.2'E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 23° 01.6N	BY	2
λ 119° 53.6E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 23° 04.5'N	BY	2
λ 119° 53.5'E	BY	2

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO CHING CHUAN KANG AIRBASE, POL BUOY IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER OPSKED. SOPA IS C.O. USS ABNAKI (ATF-96). BASE COURSE IS 005°. BASE SPEED IS 6 KNOTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS III ARE SET. CAPTAIN IS BELOW. 0024 PASSED TUNG-CHI HOU LIGHT ABEAM TO PORT BEARING 275° DISTANCE 10 MILES. 0100 LOOKOUT REPORTS SIGHTING A CONTACT BEARING 355° DISTANCE 10 MILES. 0100 MEDICAL DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORTS KOWALSKI, JOHN R. SA 881 48 68 BEING PLACED ON THE BINNACLE LIST DUE TO A WOUND, INCISION ON THE CALF OF LEFT LEG, CAUSED BY A KNIFE. 0119 C/C TO 000° IN ORDER TO AVOID SMALL FISHING BOAT. 0121 C/C TO 005° PASSED CLEAR OF FISHING BOAT ABEAM TO STBD DISTANCE 500 YDS. 0135 C/C TO 010° 0207 C/C TO 015

D.L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D.L. ELLIS, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, ~~0438 C/S 8 KNOTS~~. 0413 HOLD CONTACT SKUNK "A" BRG 003 RNG 7.6 MI ON CRS 210 SPD 15 KTS. CPA IS 3 MILES BRG 300 AT 0457. 0438 C/S 8 KNOTS. 0439 SKUNK "A" AT CPA. 0512 HOLD SKUNK "B" BRG 347 RNG 2.5 MILES ON CRS 184 SPD 17 KNOTS, CPA IS 1.5 MILES BRG 280 AT 0520. 0520 SKUNK "B" AT CPA. 0534 LOST SIGHT OF SKUNK "A" BRG 180R. 0541 LOST SIGHT OF SKUNK "B" BRG 174R. 0737 C/C 029. 0800 MUSTERED CREW ON STATIONS. ABSENTEES. NONE. DYD

D.L. Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0807 C/C 190. 0837 C/S 79 RPM, 10.0 KNT. 1008 C/C 170.

R.L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

EXAMINED
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LTJG P.B. LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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S/N-0105-404-1560

USS ARNAKE ATF 96 DATE MONDAY (Day) 15 (Date) JANUARY (Month) 19 68

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1215 C/C TO 145° 1356 COMMENCED MAKING PREPARATIONS FOR ENTERING PORT 1446 SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL 1450 C/C TO 110° 1501 C/C TO 095° 1502 C/C TO 100° 1504 C/S TO 50RPM's 6.7KNOTS 1505 P/E STOP SHIFTED MOTOR CONTROLL TO THE BRIDGE P/E 60RPM's 6.7KNOTS C/C TO 093° 1509 C/S TO 75RPM's 9.5 KNOTS 1510 C/C TO 300° RETURNING TO SCENE OF POL FUEL BUOY (SALVORS). 1511 P/E STOP SHIFTED MOTOR CONTROLL TO THE MOTOR ROOM P/S TO 50RPM's 6.7KNOTS C/S TO 75 RPM's 9.5 KNOTS 1512 C/S TO 50RPM's 6.7KNOTS C/C TO 305° 1517 C/C TO 290° 1530 C/S TO 75 RPM's 9.5 KNOTS SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL 1535 C/C TO 295° 1544 C/C TO 323°

D.L. Higgins
BM2 D.L. HIGGINS, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1732 C/C TO 335°. 1733 EXECUTED SUNSET.

D.L. Ellis
SMI(DV) D. L. ELLIS, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1905 C/C TO 350 T. 1939 C/S TO 8 KTS. 1940 RADAR OUT OF COMMISSION. 1955 RADAR REPAIRED.

D.J. Vennen
ENS D. L. VENNEN, USNR

20-24 Underway As before, 2020 Sighted Contact bearing 350 Distance 8 miles 2024 Contact Tracked on Course 140 Speed 22 kts. 2030 Contact passed CPA bearing 080 Distance 1½ miles 2057 Sighted Tung Chi Hso Light bearing 310 2148 C/C 001, 2249 C/C 005 2253 C/C 010

Walter Eugene
CWO/AGA W. McCUE, USN

EXAMINED:
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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS ABNAKI ATF 96 ZONE DESCRIPTION - 8H DATE TUESDAY (Day) 16 (Date) JANUARY (Month) . 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM KOASHIUNG, TIAWAN TO SALVAGE OPS.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 23°56.2N	BY	2
λ 120°05.7E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 2416N	BY	2
λ 120273	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 2412.7N	BY	3
λ 12021 E	BY	3

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM KOASHIUNG, TIAWAN TO CHING CHUAN KANG AIR BASE POL BUOY TIAWAN IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM SEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER OPSKED SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS ABNAKI ATF-96 MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION IV ARE SET BASE COURSE IS 010°T BASE SPEED 62 RPM's 8.0 KNOTS 0030 SIGHTED CHA MOU HSU LIGHT BRG 318° RANGE 11.2 MILES 0040 OBTAINED UNIDENTIFIED RADAR CONTACT DESIGNATED SKUNK ALFA BRG. 006° RANGE 12 MILES COURSE 174° SPEED 14 KTS. CPA 085° RANGE 3000 YDS. 0110 SIGHTED WAI SAN TING CHOW LIGHT BRG 070° RANGE 9 MILES. 0245 SIGHTED SIX (6) UNIDENTIFIED CONTACTS BRG 025° TO 100° RANGE 6 MILES. 0257 C/S TO 71 RPM's 9.0 KNOTS. 0316 OBTAINED UNIDENTIFIED RADAR CONTACT BRG 015° RANGE 19 MILES COURSE 190° SPEED 12 KNOTS CPA BRG. 100° RANGE 2000 YDS. CONTACT IS DESIGNATED SKUNK BRAVO

D R Higgins
BM3 D.L. HIGGINS, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0425 C/S TO 10 KNOTS. SKUNK 'B' AT CPA BEARING 100° DISTANCE 3900 YARDS. 0439 C/C TO 029° 0614 C/S TO 9.5 KNOTS. 0715 C/S TO 6.7 KNOTS. 0716 C/S TO 1/3 3.3 KNOTS SLOWED IN ORDER TO REPLACE CANVASS TO ANCHOR WINDLASS. 0733 C/S TO 8 KNOTS.

D L Ellis
SMKOW D.L. ELLIS, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0800 MUSTERED THE CREW AT FOUL WEATHER PARADE. ABSENTEES, NONE. 0806 C/S 71 RPM, 9.0 KNT. 0818 PLACED NO. 1 AND 4 M/E IN PROPULSION LOOP, SECURED NO. 2 AND 3 M/E. 0915 C/C 050 1007 C/C 045

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1211 SIGHTED CCK FUEL BUOY BRG 050T RNG 5 MILES. 1221 SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL IN PREPARATION FOR COMING ALONGSIDE BUOY TO PERFORM MINOR REPAIRS. MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS. 1350 STOPPED ALONGSIDE BUOY AND COMMENCED MAKING REPAIRS.

D L Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

16-18 Underway as before, Alongside Fuel buoy CCK, Taiwan 1615 Cast off Line TO Fuel Buoy, Maneuvered Away from Buoy 1625 Steady 270 Spd 3.3 Kts. 1627 Secured The Sea Detail (Cont.)

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LTJG P.B. LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS Alnilam AFT-94

DATE Tuesday 16 January 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-18 1658 C/C 000

Wm E Myers
CWO Wm E. Myers USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1816 C/S TO 50 RPM's 6.7 KNOTS C/C TO 105 1830 C/S TO 75 RPM's 9.5 KNOTS 1835 C/S TO 50 RPM's 6.7 KNOTS 1837 A/E STOP 1838 C/S TO A/E BACK 80 RPMs 1841 A/E STOP A/E AHD 50 RPM's 6.7 KNOTS 1842 A/E AHD 75 RPM's 9.5 KNOTS C/C TO 175° 1846 C/C TO 200° A/E AHD A/E AHEAD FULL 79 RPM's 10.0 KNOTS 1850 C/C TO 232° 1853 C/C TO 235° 1901 C/C TO 237 1904 C/C TO 225° 1906 C/C TO 235° 1907 A/E STOP 1910 A/E AHD FULL 79 RPM's 10.0 KTS. 1916 C/C TO 237°

D R Higgins
BM2 D.L. HIGGINS, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2042 LOST SIGHT OF UNCHARTED LIGHT BEARING 056° IN HIITAKA KO. 2108 C/C TO 204° 2210 C/C TO 230° COMMENCED BLOWING TUBES. 2243 C/C TO 204° COMPLETED BLOWING TUBES. 2332 C/C TO 200° IN ORDER TO AVOID SMALL FISHING BOAT.

D L Ellis
SMI(DV) D.L. ELLIS, USN

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE WEDNESDAY (Day) 17 (Date) JANUARY (Month). 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM SALVAGE OPS TO KAOHSIONG, TAIWAN

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL 2-ELECTRONIC 3-VISUAL 4-D. R.
0800	1200	2000	
L 22°38.8N BY 2	L _____ BY _____	L _____ BY _____	
λ 120°09.7E BY 2	λ _____ BY _____	λ _____ BY _____	

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM CHING CHUAN KANG AIR BASE POL BUOY TIAWAN, TO KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER FY '68 OPSKED. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION IV ARE SET. BASE COURSE IS 232, SPEED 10 KNTS, 79 RPM. 0004 C/C 210 TO PASS CLEAR OF FISHING FLEET. 0008 C/C 215 0130 C/C 180 0134 SIGHTED TONG-CHI HSÜ LIGHT BRG 215 DISTANT 20 MILES 0305 PASSED TONG-CHI HSÜ LIGHT ABEAM TO STBD DISTANT 12.3 MILES.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0433 C/C 145. 0446 SIGHTED FLEET OF SMALL FISHING BOATS BRG 025 TO 190. 0553 ALL CONTACTS ARE AFT OF THE BEAM. 0648 C/S 4.5 KNOTS. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS (Accounted); None

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

08-24 Underway as before, 0806 C/C 110, 0819 C/C 115 Commenced the preparations for entering Port. 0840 SOS The Special Sea and Anchor ~~detail~~ details, Commenced Steering various Courses at various Speeds (where entering the Kaohsiung Harbor. 0901 Sounded one Long & one Short blast on Ships whistle 0907 passed through breakwater entrance 0910 Captain at the Conn Navigator on the bridge. 0930 Chinese Navy Pilot came onboard from Pilot boat 0944 moored East Bulkhead of Naval Dist Chinese Navy yard, Kaohsiung, Taiwan. SOPA is Commanding Officer USS Bryce Canyon (AD-36) 1800 Set Material Condition yoke (modified) 1900 Mustered the duty Section. ~~1645~~ 1801 Robert L. May EM1 473 49-36, USN departed for TAD with Kaohsiung, Taiwan Shore Patrol.

by

Chas Edward Meyers, USN

EXAMINED
P B Lamberson
LT(jg) P.B. LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS Abnaki ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8/4 DATE Thursday (Day) 18 (Date) January (Month) . 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM Kaohsiung, Taiwan ~~TO~~

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY	_____
λ _____	BY	_____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY	_____
λ _____	BY	_____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY	_____
λ _____	BY	_____

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored Port side to East Bulkhead Chinese Nationalist 4th Navy yard, Kaohsiung, Taiwan with Standard Mooring Lines doubled. Ships present include Units of the U.S. Pacific Fleet, Various Merchant Vessels, Units of the Chinese Nationalist Navy and Local Craft. SOPA is Commanding Officer USS Bryce Canyon (AD-36) Material Condition yoke (modified) and Readiness Condition Five are Set. 0024 ENL R.L. Nuty 473-49-36 USN Returned onboard having completed TAD with Shore Patrol, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, Head Quarters. 0745 Mustered the Crew at Quarters, (Absentees; ENS T.C. Fetherman 913-45-60, USN UA Since 0030 This date.

Lyle Gulgren
Cmdr Albert W. Myers, USN

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1800 MUSTERED THE DUTY SECTION. ABSENTEES: NONE. 2300 DIZON, R.A., TA, 5 8 9 71 5 7, USN REPORTED ABSENT FROM MUSTER OF RESTRICTED MEN.

D. L. Vennen
ENS D. L. VENNEN, USNR

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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE FRIDAY (Day), 19 (Date) JANUARY (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 22-25N		BY 2,3
λ 120-27.5E		BY 2,3

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED PORT SIDE TO EAST BULKHEAD, CHINESE NATIONAL 4TH NAVAL SHIPYARD, KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE UNITS OF THE CHINESE NATIONAL NAVY, U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, MERCHANT VESSELS, AND LOCAL CRAFT. SOPA IS CO-USS BRYCE CANYON (AD-36). MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION FIVE ARE SET. 0030 FEATHERMAN, T.C., EN3, 913-45-60, USN, REPORTED ABOARD HAVING BEEN UA SINCE 0030, 18 JANUARY 1968. 0523 DIZON, R.A., TA, 589-71-57, USN, REPORTED TO QUARTERDECK FROM LOWER DECKS, HAVING NOT BEEN SEEN SINCE 2300, 18 JANUARY 1968. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS, ABSENTEES: NONE.

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. JOHNSON, USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1421 COMMENCED MAKING PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. * 1226 RECEIVED YRBM-16 ALONGSIDE TO STARBOARD. 1506 COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1534 UNDERWAY FOR SASEBO, JAPAN, WITH YRBM-16 IN TOW, IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER FY68 OPSKED. THE PILOT HAS THE CONN, THE NAVIGATOR IS ON THE BRIDGE. ONE HARBOR TUG IS MADE UP ON YRBM-16'S PORT QUARTER. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE MANEUVERING TO STAND OUT OF KAOHSIUNG HARBOR. 1552 PASSED NR ONE SEA BUOY.

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1600 MOTOR WHALEBOAT SECURED. 1611 THE CAPTAIN ASSUMED THE CONN. THE PILOT DEPARTED THE SHIP. 1615 TOW IS STREAMED TO 500 FEET. INCREASING SPEED WHILE PAYING OUT TOW WIRE. 1640 A/E FULL, 12.3 KNOTS. 1645 SET COURSE 157 WITH 1500 FEET OF TOW WIRE OUT.

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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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1652 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1710 TOWING ENGINE SECURED WITH TOW RIDING ON BRAKE.

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1800 C/C TO 159. 1806 SIGHTED LIU-CHIU-HSU LIGHT BRG 121. 1854 C/C TO 140. 1900 C/C TO 139.

CWO-2 ASA W. MYERS, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2025 SIGHTED O-LUAN-PI LIGHT BRG 113. 2133 C/C TO 106. 2220 C/C TO 096. 2320 C/C TO 100. 2347 C/C TO 042.

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

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LT J.G. P.B. LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SATURDAY 20 JANUARY . 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO SASEBO, JAPAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 22°28.5N	BY	3
λ 121°24.5	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 22° 44.8 N	BY	3
λ 121° 42.7 E	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 22° 21' N	BY	4
λ 122° 35' E	BY	4

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO SASEBO, JAPAN, WITH YRBM-16 IN TOW IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER OPSKED. TOW IS RIDING ON THE BRAKE WITH 1500 FEET OF WIRE STREAMED. SOPA IS CO ABNAKI. BASE COURSE IS 042° BASE SPEED IS 12.3 KNOTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS III ARE SET. CAPTAIN IS BELOW. 0018 PASSED O-LUAN-PI LIGHT ABEAM TO PORT BEARING 312° DISTANCE 3.75 MILES. 0234 C/C TO 045°.

D. L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D. L. ELLIS, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0612 C/S 95 RPM 11.8 KNT. 0645 C/S 90 RPM 11.3 KNT. 0648 C/C 048 0701 C/C 058.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. JOHNSON USN

08-12 Underway as before, 0800 Mustered the Crew at Quarters, Absentee's; None 0940 C/C 043, 1030 C/S to 11.8 KTS, 1035 C/C 045, 1139 C/C 051

Wm W Meyers
CDO WM W. MEYERS USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

D J Vennen
ENS D. L. VENNEN, USNR

16-18 Underway As Before. 1725 C/S To 11.9 KTS 1749 RADAR CONTACT BRG 045 DIST. 12 MILES CSE 205 SPD 10.5 CPA 128-3000 YDS.

D. L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D. L. ELLIS, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1833 EXCHANGED CALLS WITH MV EVERLIFE LIBERIAN REGISTRY ENROUTE KAOHSIUNG.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. JOHNSON USN

EXAMINED

L B Lamberson
LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS Abnaki (ATF-96)

DATE Saturday 20 January 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

20-24 Underway as before.

Asa W. Myers
CWO ASA W. Myers, USN

EXAMINED:
P B Ramberson
LTJG P B RAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SUNDAY (Day) 21 (Date) JAN (Month) . 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO SASEBO, JAPAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 24°25.5'N	BY	3
λ 123°27.6'E	BY	3

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 24°52.1N	BY	2
λ 123°43E	BY	2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 25°46.5N	BY	4
λ 124°21E	BY	4

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS A PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM KAOHSIUNG TAIWAN TO SASEBO, JAPAN, WITH YRBM-16 IN TOW, IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER FY-68 ORDER. SOPA IS CO-ABNAKI. BASE COURSE IS 051(T), 052 MAGNETIC; BASE SPEED 11.9 KNOTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED), READINESS CONDITION IV, AND ENGINEERING AND DAMAGE CONTROL CONDITION III ARE SET. TOW WIRE AT 1500 FEET. TOWING ENGINE ON BRAKE, 0243 C/S TO 12.3 KNOTS. 0350 HOLD RADAR LANDFALL BRG 040 RNG 51 MILES.

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0350 RADAR REPORTS LANDFALL DETERMINED TO BE IRIOMOTE JIMA AND NAKANOKAMI JIMA 047 C/C TO 010° 0500 OBTAINED RADAR CONTACT WITH YONAKUNI JIMA BEARING 307° DISTANCE 32 MILES. 0545 LOOKOUT SIGHTED NAKANOKAMI JIMA BEARING 090° DISTANCE 12 MILES. 0605 PASSED NAKANOKAMI JIMA ABEAM TO STARBOARD DISTANCE 11 MILES. 0620 SIGHTED IRIMOTE JIMA BEARING 320° DISTANCE 15 MILES. 0626 C/C TO 029°.

D.L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D.L. ELLIS, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0800 MUSTERED CREW ON STATIONS-ABSENTEES NONE. 0830 PUT NO. 1 M/E IN PROPULSION LOOP, SECURED NO. 2 M/E. 0945 PUT NO. 2 M/E IN PROPULSION LOOP. 1015 RADAR CONTACT BRG 248 RANGE 8 MILES ON CSE 031 & SPD 17KNT. CPA 300 RANGE 4 MILES. 1108 CONTACT AN UNIDENTIFIED JAPANESE TANKER, AT CPA. 1200 LOST RADAR CONTACT WITH TANKER BRG. 359 RANGE 12 MILES. RJJ

R.L. Johnson
OWO-3 R.C. JOHNSON USN

12-16-68 Underway As before 1505 C/S 12.1 KTS. 1506 C/S 11.9 KTS. DJV

Wm. Myers
CWO IASN W. MYERS, USN

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LT(jg) P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) DATE SUNDAY 21 JAN. 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

D L Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

D L Ellis
SM1(DV) D.L. ELLIS, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2235 C/C 030

R L Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

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USS Abnaki ATF-96 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Monday 22 (Day) (Date) January (Month) 19 68

AT/PASSAGE FROM Kaohsiung, Taiwan TO Sasebo, Japan

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 26° 26N	BY	3/4
λ 124° 57E	BY	3/4

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 26° 45.6N	BY	1/4
λ 125° 1E	BY	1/4

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 2738.2N	BY	1/4
λ 125 51E	BY	1/4

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 Steaming Independently As part of TG 73.4 enroute From Kaohsiung, Taiwan TO Sasebo, Japan with YRBM-16 Under Tow, In Accordance with Commander 7th Fleet Third Quarter FY 1968 OPSked. SOPA is Commanding Officer USS Abnaki (ATF-96) Base Course 030 Base Speed 11.9 knots, Material Condition Yoke (modified) Readiness Condition IV zone set Towing Cable is on the brake at 1500 FT, 2357 C/C 040 0202 C/C 030, passed Sekibi Sho (Rawlegh Rock) Abeam To Port bearing 306 Distance 6 Miles.

Chas E Myers
CWO Asa W. Myers, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. ~~0400 HOLD RPM~~ 0534 LOST RADAR CONTACT WITH SEKIBISHO ROCK BRG 219, RNG 22 MILES. 0648 C/S TO 98 RPM. 0706 C/S 100 RPM, 12.3 KTS.

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

D L Ellis
SM1(DV) D. L. ELLIS, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1207 SLOWED AND C/C TO INSPECT TOW FOR SUSPECTED STBD LIST. 1240 RESUMED BASE COURSE 030, AND SPEED 12.3 KNT 100 RPM. 1421 C/C 027 1530 SIGHTED SEVERAL FISHING CRAFT ON BEARINGS FROM 347 TO 015 DISTANT 7 MILES.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. JOHNSON USN

16-18 Underway As before,

Chas E Myers
CWO Asa W. Myers, USN

EXAMINED
PB Lamberson
LTJG PB LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) DATE MONDAY 22 JAN. 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

D L Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2035 OBTAINED RADAR CONTACT DESIGNATED SKUNK "D" BEARING 255° DISTANCE 16 MILES DETERMINED TO BE ON COURSE 054° SPEED 23 KNOTS CPA IS BEARING 330° DISTANCE 4 MILES. 2040 LOOKOUT REPORTS CONTACT BEARING 230° RELATIVE DISTANCE 10 MILES DETERMINED TO BE SKUNK "D" 2128 SKUNK "D" AT CPA BEARING 330 DISTANCE 4 MILES.

D L Ellis
ENS(DV) D. L. ELLIS, USN

EXAMINED:
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LTJG PB LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE TUESDAY (Day) 23 (Date) JANUARY (Month) 19 68

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO SASEBO, JAPAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 28°47.0N	BY	4
λ 126°39.0E	BY	4

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 29° 40'N	BY	1&2
λ ~~127° 12'E~~ 126° 51'E	BY	1&2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 30° 27'N	BY	1&4
λ 127° 31.5'E	BY	1&4

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO SASEBO, JAPAN WITH YRBM-16 IN TOW, IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER FY '68 OPSKED. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS ABNAKI (ATF-96). ON BASE COURSE 030, SPEED 12.3 KNTS, 100 RPM. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION IV ARE SET. 1500 FT. OF MAIN TOW WIRE OUT WITH TOWING ENGINE SET ON BRAKE. 0012 OBSERVED SEVERAL CONTACTS BETWEEN 000 AND 025 RANGE 7 MILES. 0120 PASSED TO STBD OF FIVE FISHING TRAWLERS AT RANGES OF 500YDS TO 4000YDS.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

04-08 Underway as before, 0510 - 0545 Maneuvering Through Fourteen Fishing Trawlers from Ranges of 500 to 5000 yds.

Lyle E. Myers
CWO ~~USN~~ W. Myers, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0900 COMMENCED SLOWING TO 3.3 KNOTS FOR TOW INSPECTION. 0925 C/S TO 3.3 KTS. 0933 LOWERED MOTOR WHALE BOAT PORT SIDE. BOARDING PARTY DEPARTED SHIP. 1155 BOAT IS ALONGSIDE. BOARDING PARTY BACK ABOARD.

D L Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

EXAMINED

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LTJG PB LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

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USS Asnaki (ATF96) DATE Tuesday 23 January 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 Underway As Before. 1200 Preparing To Hoist Motor Whale Boat 1207 C/C To 330° Motor Whale Boat Is At The Rail. 1230 Motor ~~White~~ Whale Boat In The Skeds. Increasing Speed Slowly By 5 RPM's To 12.3 Knots. 1234 C/C To 030° Motor Whale Boat Secured For Sea. 1250 C/S To 12.3 Knots. 1500 C/C To 034°

D. L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D. L. Ellis, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. Johnson USN

18-20 Underway As before,

Elmer E. Myers
CWO Elmer E. Myers, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

D. L. Vennen
ENS D. L. VENNEN, USNR

EXAMINED:

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE WEDNESDAY 24 JANUARY 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO SASEBO, JAPAN

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
L 31°56.5'N BY 213	L 32°26.0'N BY 243	L ~~_____~~ BY ~~_____~~	3-VISUAL
λ 128°49.5'E BY 243	λ 129°07.7'E BY 243	λ ~~_____~~ BY ~~_____~~	4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM KAOHSIUNG, TAIWAN TO SASEBO, JAPAN WITH YRBM-16 IN TOW, IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER OPSKED. SOPA IS C.O. USS ABNAKI (ATF-96). BASE COURSE IS 034° BASE SPEED IS 12.3 KNOTS. TOW WIRE IS AT 1500 FEET RIDING ON THE BRAKE. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS IV ARE SET. 0001 ADVANCED ALL SHIPS CLOCKS ONE (1) HOUR TO CONFORM WITH -9I TIME ZONE. 0254 OBTAINED RADAR CONTACT DESIGNATED SKUNK "A" BEARING 112° RANGE 15.5 MILES DETERMINED TO BE ON COURSE 345° SPEED 16 KNOTS CPA BEARING 045 RANGE 7.5 MILES.

D.L. Ellis
SM1(DV) D.L. ELLIS, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0440 SIGHTED DANJO GUNTO LIGHT BRG 343° DISTANT 32 MILES. 0533 C/C 026 0702 PASSED DANJO GUNTO LIGHT ABEAM TO PORT DISTANT 23 MILES. 0730 C/S 11.3 KNTS.

R.L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0805 C/S 11.8 KNTS. 1027 C/S 12.3 KTS. 0800 Mustered The Crew ~~At Quarters, Absentees;~~ NONE

Asa W. Myers
CWO ASA W. MYERS, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1454 C/S TO 13.8 KTS. 1437 C/C TO 031.

D.J. Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1604 C/S TO 12.3 KNOTS. 1611 C/S TO 8.9 KNOTS. 1625 C/S TO 11.3 KNOTS. 1633 C/C TO 101° 1634 C/C TO 085° 1645 C/S TO 10.1 KNOTS. COMMENCED HEAVING IN ON TOW. 1645 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1655 C/C TO 120° 1659 C/C TO 101° PASSED SHIRASE LIGHT ABEAM TO STARBOARD DISTANCE 1200 YARDS. 1714 C/C TO 070° C/S TO 7.2 KNOTS 1715 C/C TO 067° 1718 PASSED BUOY "B" ABEAM TO PORT DISTANCE 150 YARDS. 1720 C/C TO 069° TOW AT 300 FEET. RECEIVED PILOT ABOARD YRBM 16 1721 PASSED BUOY "A" ABEAM TO STARBOARD DISTANCE 80 YARDS. 1724 C/C TO 071° 1730 YRBM 779

EXAMINED
P B Lamberson
LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

TO BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THE END OF EACH MONTH

NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66) (BACK)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) DATE WEDNESDAY 24 JANUARY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

1730 TOW AT 130 FEET. 1749 DISCONNECTED BRIDLE TO YRBM 16 EXECUTED SUNSET TURNED ON NAV LIGHTS. 1750 YRBM 16 CLEAR OF STERN C/C TO 355° PASSED BUOY #1 ABEAM TO PORT DISTANCE 200 YARDS. 1754 C/S TO 8 KNOTS D.E ~~18~~ 20 1756 C/C TO 353°

D. L. Ellis
ENS(DC) D. L. ELLIS, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1810 PASSED MARU SE ISLAND ABEAM TO STARBOARD RNG 250 YARDS. COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS STANDING INTO SASEBO HARBOR. 1853 MOORED PORT SIDE TO BERTH 23 INDIA THREE, US NAVAL BASE, SASEBO, JAPAN. 1858 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. SOPA IS 00-USS CASTOR (AF-59).

D. J. Venneri
ENS D. L. VENNEN, USNR

RJJ 20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. ~~20~~

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. JOHNSON, USN

EXAMINED:
P. B. Lamberson
LTJG PB LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS Akiuaki ATF-86 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Thursday (Day) 25 (Date) January (Month). 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM Sasebo, Japan TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED PORT SIDE TO BERTH INDIA THREE U.S. NAVAL BASE, SASEBO, JAPAN, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, MERCHANTMEN, YARD AND LOCAL CRAFT. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS CASTOR (AKS-1) MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION IV ARE SET. 0707 TWO LCM-6 PUSHER BOATS RECEIVED ALONGSIDE TO STARBOARD IN PREPARATION TO SHIFTING BERTHS. SET SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. COMMENCED MAKING ALL PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY TO SHIFT BERTHS. 0744 COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY, CAPTAIN AT THE CONN, NAVIGATOR ON THE BRIDGE, UNDERWAY ON VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MANEUVER IN INDIA BASIN IN SHIFTING BERTH TO INDIA SIX, PORT SIDE TO. 0720 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS. ABSENTEES: NONE. PBL

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON, USN

08-24 UNDERWAY AS before, 0802 MOORED AT BERTH INDIA SIX US NAVAL BASE, FLEET ACTIVITIES, SASEBO, JAPAN. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE US PACIFIC FLEET, YARD AND SMALL CRAFT AND VARIOUS MERCHANTMEN SOPA IS USS CASTOR (AKS-1) 0804 CAST OFF PUSHER BOATS 0810 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAILS. 1411 COMMENCED RECEIVING FUEL FROM YARD CRAFT DRAFT FWD 13'5" AFT 15'9" 1603 SECURED FROM RECEIVING FUEL DRAFT FWD 13'3" AFT 16'6" TOTAL RECEIVED 21,513 GALLONS DIESEL. 1745 IC3 KEITH L. SCHWARZBACH 775-19-79 USN DEPARTED FOR TAD WITH SASEBO SHORE MEDICAL HEADQUARTERS. 1800 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) by

Wm E Myers
CWO WM E. MYERS, USN

EXAMINED
PB Lamberson
LT(jg) P.B. LAMBERSON, U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS Akiaki (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Friday 26 January 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE~~ FROM Sasebo, Japan TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored Port side to Berth Indian Six, US NAVAL Base, Fleet Activity, Sasebo, Japan with the ~~following~~ ~~stand~~ mooring Lines doubled. Receiving Miscellaneous Services from the pier, Ships Present includes Various Units of the US Pacific Fleet, Yard and Small Craft's and Various Merchantmen. Material Condition yoke (modified) And Readiness Condition IV have set. SOPA is Commanding Officer USS Caston (AKS-1) 0040 IC3 Keith L. Schumacher 775-19-79, USN Reported onboard having Completed TAD with Sasebo Shore Patrol Headquarters. 0745 Muster'd The Crew at Quarters, Absentees; None

Wm E Myers
CDO LCdr W. Myers, USN

08-24 Moored As Before. 1630 Gelamas, K. J., EM2, 914-80-49, USN, Departed the ship for TAD with Sasebo Shore Patrol. 1730 Wells, L.L., CS3, 999-24-87, USN, and Darvail, L. G., GMG3, USN, 918-80-04, Departed the ship for TAD with Sasebo Shore Patrol.

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. Vennen, USNR

EXAMINED
P B Lamberson
LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE SATURDAY (Day) 27 (Date) JANUARY (Month) 19 68

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ SASEBO, JAPAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED PORT SIDE TO BERTH INDIA SIX, US NAVAL BASE, FLEET ACTIVITY, SASEBO, JAPAN WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, YARD, AND SMALL CRAFT, AND VARIOUS MERCHANTMEN. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION IV ARE SET. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS CASTOR (AKS-1) 0114 WELLS, L.L., CS3, 999-24-87, USN, AND DARVIAL, L.G., G1963, USN, 918-80-04 RETURNED ABOARD FROM TAD WITH SASEBO SHORE PATROL. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: ONE. BROSINSKE, G.E., EM2, 389-82-85, USN, UA SINCE 0730 THIS DATE.

D J Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

08-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0809 BROSINSKE, G.E. 389-82-85, EM2, USN RETURNED ON BOARD HAVING BEEN UA SINCE 0730 HOURS THIS DATE, A PERIOD OF ABOUT THIRTY NINE MINUTES. 1639 EDWARDS, D.G. 138-21-23 EM3 USN DEPARTED ON TAD TO SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS. 1800 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED). 2100 USS SAFEGUARD (ARS 25) MOORED ALONGSIDE TO STARBOARD.

R.L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON USN

EXAMINED
P B Lamberson
LT JG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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NAVPERS 3100/2 (1-66)
(Formerly NAVPERS 719)

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N-0105-404-1560

USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9 I DATE SUNDAY 28 JANUARY (Day) (Date) (Month) 19 68

AT ~~PASSAGE FROM~~ SASEBO, JAPAN TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 MOORED PORT SIDE TO BERTH INDIA SIX, U.S NAVAL BASE, SASEBO, JAPAN, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED, USS SAFEGUARD (ARS-25) MOORED ALONG SIDE TO STBD. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, MERCHANTMEN, YARD AND LOCAL CRAFT. SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS CASTOR (AKS-1). MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION IV ARE SET. 0050 EDWARDS, D.C. 138-21-23, EM3, USN, RETURNED ON BOARD FROM TAD AT SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS. 0730 MUSTERED CREW ON STATIONS, ABSENTEES, DARVIAL, L.G. 918-80-04, GMG3, USN AND WELLS, L.L., 999-24-87, CS3, USN, BOTH UA SINCE 0730 HOURS THIS DATE.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R.L. JOHNSON, USN

08-24 Moored as before, 0820 GMG3 L.G. Darvial 918 80 04 USN and CS3 L.L. Wells 999 24 87 USN Returned Onboard having been UA since 0730 This date A period of about 50 minutes 1642 Observed USS Eppiho Forest (MCS-7) STANDED into Berth India 8, 1700 Commenced FLOT One Completed USS Eppiho Forest (MCS-7) Assumed SOPA, 1800 Set Material Condition Yoke (modified). 1842 EN3 L.B. Harris 917 95 26 USN departed For TAD with Sasebo Shore Patrol Headquarters

Wm E Myers
CWO Wm E. Myers, USN

EXAMINED
PB Lamberson
LTJG PB LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS Abnaki (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE Monday 29 January . 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/~~PASSAGE FROM~~ Sasebo, Japan TO

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-08 Moored Port side to Berth India Six, US NAVAL Base, Sasebo, Japan, USS Safeguard (ARS-25) Moored Port side to STBD, in a nest of 2 Ships with Standard mooring Lines doubled, Receiving Miscellaneous Services from the pier, Ships present include Various units of the U.S. Pacific Fleet, Merchant Ves, Yard and ~~District~~ Local Craft by SOPA, 2 Comm'd Flot One Emb added in USS Egeria forest (MCS-7) Material Condition yoke (Modified) and Readiness Condition IV Zone set 0050 Ens L.B. Harris 917926, USN Returned Onboard Inport Completed TAD with Sasebo Japan Shore Patrol Head Quarters, 0745 Mustered The Crew AT Quarters, 145 Seniees, None

Lyle E. Meyers
Cdr Lyle E. Meyers, USN

08-24 Moored As before 0941 Lost Shore Power 0957 Shore Power Restored 1633 SK3 R.G. Odom 771 43 59, USN Departed for TAD with Sasebo Shore Patrol Headquarters 1900 Commenced Fire Drill in Crypto Room 1918 Secured From Fire Drill.

D L Venner
Ens D. L. Venner, USNR

EXAMINED
P B Lamberson
LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF-96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE TUESDAY 30 JANUARY 1968
(Day) (Date) (Month)

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM SASEBO, JAPAN TO

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
0800	1200	2000	2-ELECTRONIC
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λ _____ BY _____	λ 129 28.1E BY 3	λ 129 48 E BY 2	4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø8 MOORED PORT SIDE TO BERTH INDIA SIX, U.S. NAVAL BASE SASEBO, JAPAN, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, MERCHANT VESSELS AND YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS COMINFLOT ONE EMBARKED IN USS EPPING FOREST (MCS-7). MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND READINESS CONDITION III ARE SET. USS SAFEGUARD (ARS 25) MOORED ALONGSIDE TO STARBOARD WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. Ø137 UNABLE TO LOCATE EM2 C.E. BIFFLE 599 28 54, USN AND GMGSN C.B. JONES 138 21 23 USN CONSIDER THEM TO BE UA. Ø2ØØ UNABLE TO LOCATE EM3 D.C. EDWARDS 138 21 23 CONSIDER HIM TO BE UA. ØØ45 SK3 R.E. ODOM 771 43 59 USN RETURNED ABOARD FROM TAD WITH SASEBO SHORE PATROL. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: JONES, C.B., GMGSN, 682-06-31, USN, UA SINCE 0001 THIS DATE. X 0540 BIFFLE, ~~D.J. Vernon~~ P. J., EM2, 599-28-54, USN, REPORTED ABOARD HAVING BEEN UA SINCE 0100 THIS DATE. 0620 EDWARDS, D.C., EM3 REPORTED TO QUARTERDECK. D.L. Vernen
ENS D.L. VERNEN, USNR

Ø8-12 MOORED AS BEFORE AT SEMIDETAIL STATIONS. Ø8Ø5 GMGSN CHARLES B. JONES, RETURNED AFTER BEING UA SINCE 2400 29 JANUARY 1968 Ø8Ø9 RIGGED IN THE BROW. CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN. NAVIGATOR IS ON THE BRIDGE. Ø812 CAST OFF ALL LINES TO SAFEGUARD Ø814 TOOK IN ALL LINES. UNDERWAY FOR DEGAUSSING RANGE MANEUVERING TO CLEAR BERTH & INDIA BASIN. Ø824 CLEARED INDIA BASIN ON COURSE 164° AT SPEED 8.Ø KNOTS. Ø831 PASSED MARUSE LIGHT ABEAM TO PORT DISTANCE 2ØØ YARDS. C/C TO 173° Ø834 C/C TO 141° Ø835 MANEUVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS WHILE
D.E MAKING NORTH AND SOUTH DEGAUSSING ~~RUNS~~ RUNS. Ø931 SECURED FROM DEGAUSSING RUNS. PROCEEDING OUT OF HARBOR ON VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO CONFORM WITH CHANNEL. Ø952 PASSED BUOY "A" ABEAM TO PORT DISTANCE 3ØØ YARDS, ON COURSE 265° Ø954 PASSED BUOY "B" ABEAM TO STARBOARD DISTANCE 3ØØ YARDS 0955 WITH KOGOSAKI LIGHT ABEAM TO STARBOARD DISTANCE 15ØØ YARDS TOOK DEPARTURE FROM SASEBO, JAPAN ENROUTE PEARL HARBOR, HAWAII, AS PART OF TG 73.4 IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT THIRD QUARTER OPSKED. Ø956 SET COURSE 28Ø° Ø959 C/S TO 13.3 KTS.
D.E 1ØØØ SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1018 C/C TO ~~281°~~ 211° 1Ø49 C/C TO 18Ø° CAPTAIN LEFT THE BRIDGE. 1122 C/C TO 191°

D.L. Ellis
SM1 (DV) D.L. ELLIS, USN

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P B Ramberson
LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1205 C/C TO 185° 1440 C/C TO 167° 1500 SIGHTED KOSHIKI RETTO ISLANDS BEARING 150 DISTANCE 25 MILES. 1545 SIGHTED SEVEN CONTACTS BEARING 160 TO 170 RANGE 9 MILES. 1555 CONTACTS IDENTIFIED AS USS YORKTOWN (CVS-10) AND ESCORTS.

R. L. Johnson
CWO-3 R. L. JOHNSON, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1600 EXCHANGED CALLS WITH USS YORKTOWN (CVS10).

Wm Lyon
CWO ASA W. MYERS, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1852 SIGHTED KUSAGAKI KAMINO SHIMA LIGHT BEARING 200° 1912 C/C TO 189°.

D L Higgins
BM2 D. L. HIGGINS, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, 2220 HOLD SATA MISAKI LIGHT BRG 340, & 2245 HOLD SKUNK "F" BRG 074 RNG 13 MILES ON CUS 278 SPD 18 KNOTS. CPA IS 6 MILES BRG 010 AT 2202. 2229 HOLD SKUNK GOLF BRG 100 RNG 7 MILES ON CUS 183 SPD 18 KNOTS. CPA IS 5.2 MILES BRG 130 AT 2258. 2232 SKUNK "G" C/C TO 250, WILL CROSS OVER BOW STBD TO PORT. 2255 CAME RIGHT TO 120 TO PASS ASTERN OF SKUNK G. C/S TO 6.7 KTS. 2259 PASSED SKUNK "G" ABEAM TO PORT RNG 420 YARDS. 2314 C/C TO 088, C/S TO 13.3 KTS.

D J Vennen
ENS D. L. VENNEN, USNR

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LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS ABNAKI (ATF96) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE WEDNESDAY (Day) 31 JANUARY (Date) (Month) . 19 68

~~AT~~/PASSAGE FROM SASEBO JAPAN TO PEARL HARBOR, HAWAII

POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	POSITION ZONE TIME	LEGEND:
0800	1200	2000	1-CELESTIAL
L 30°29'N BY 2&4	L 30°21.5N BY 1	L 29°55.5'N BY 1	2-ELECTRONIC
λ 133°30'E BY 2&4	λ 133°52.9E BY 1	λ 135°53.6 E BY 1	3-VISUAL
			4-D. R.

REMARKS

ØØ-Ø4 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS PART OF TG 73.4 ENROUTE FROM SASEBO, JAPAN TO PEARL HARBOR, HAWAII, IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTH FLT THIRD QUARTER OPSKED. SOPA IS C.O. ABNAKI. BASE COURSE IS Ø87° BASE SPEED IS 13.3 KNOTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS II ARE SET. CAPTAIN IS BELOW. ØØØ2 OBTAINED RADAR CONTACT BEARING Ø59° RANGE 12 MILES. DESIGNATED SKUNK "M" DETERMINED TO BE ON COURSE 216° SPEED 12 KNOTS CPA 330° RANGE 15ØØ ØØ27 SKUNK "M" AT CPA & OPENING WELL CLEAR. ØØ4Ø PASSED KISHIKA SAKI LIGHT ABEAM TO STARBOARD DISTANCE 5.5 MILES. Ø1Ø4 C/C TO 1Ø4° Ø213 LOST RADAR CONTACT WITH KYUSHU ISLAND BEARING 31Ø° RANGE 32 MILES, Ø12Ø LOST SIGHT OF TOI MISAKI LIGHT BEARING Ø1Ø° RANGE 25.5 MILES. Ø14Ø LOST SIGHT OF KISHIKA SAKI LIGHT BEARING 2Ø° RANGE 32 MILES. 0242 LOST RADAR CONTACT WITH LAND BEARING 25Ø° RANGE 32 MILES.

D.L. Ellis
SA1(DV) D. L. ELLIS, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

L.L. Johnson
CWO-3 L.L. JOHNSON USN

08-12 Underway as before

Myers
CWO Asa B. Myers, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1204 C/C TO 103°T. 1559 OBTAINED TWO(2) UNIDENTIFIED RADAR CONTACTS DESIGNATED SKUNKS "D" AND "E". SKUNK DELTA BEARING 357° RANGE 15.5 Mi. COURSE 189 SPEED 11 KTS. CPA BEARING 330° RANGE 13.5 MILES SKUNK "E" BEARS 044 RANGE 15 Mi. COURSE 134 SPEED 19 KTS. CPA BEARING 085° RANGE 11 MILES.

D.L. Higgins
BM2 D.L. HIGGINS, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1741 SKUNK "E" AT CPA BRG 115 RNG 5.5 MILES.

D.L. Vennen
ENS D.L. VENNEN, USNR

EXAMINED
P.B. Lamberson
LTJG P.B. LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

18-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

D L Ellis
SM1(DV) D. L. ELLIS, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2320 SECURED NO. 2 M/E C/S 100 RPM.
12.3 KNT.

K. K. Johnson
CWO-3 K. K. JOHNSON USN

EXAMINED:
P B Lamberson
LTJG P B LAMBERSON U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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